

PEACE TERMS MIAMI HOLDS ARE REFUSED CITY PRIMARY

When the Japanese plenipotentiaries, at the conclusion of the session of the peace conference at Portsmouth, N. H., Wednesday afternoon, presented their final demands, the critical point had arrived. Eight of the twelve conditions originally presented by Japan had been rejected and one side or the other must make a move or the arbitrators had reached the parting of the ways.

M. Witte was silent, and the move in the diplomatic game passed to Japan. Baron Komura explained that Japan in his desire for peace was ready to make certain modifications of the original articles in the hope that Russia could find it possible to accept them. He then presented the compromise proposition. It offered to withdraw article 9, provided for the payment by Russia of Japan's bill for the cost of the war on condition that Russia would accept article 5 which provides for the cession of the Island of Sachalin so modified as to include an arrangement for the repurchase by Russia of the northern half of the island for 1,200,000,000 yen. In addition it offered to withdraw entirely articles 11 and 12 concerning the intended warships and limitations upon Russia's sea power in the far East.

Without a moment's hesitation M. Witte explained that the modification proposed was merely a sham, a change of phraseology, a diplomatic attempt to cover a grudge, and as Russia to pay was tribute under another name. He could not accept it.

Baron Komura then said that Russia wanted peace. She had given the proofs in accepting every article, proving the issues upon which the war was fought, but she could fight, and money for tribute she would not pay, nor a kopek. He asked Baron Komura to withdraw all demands for tribute. And so the plenipotentiaries separated to meet again on Saturday, ostensibly to permit M. Witte to place in writing, as the rules of the conference require, his reply to the Japanese compromise proposition. In reality the adjournment over the two days was to give each side an opportunity to consult its Government for the last time.

A Racing Launch.

Sears and Gladwin have under construction at their boat yards a small motor boat designed as an experimental racing boat by the first of next week after which he will begin the construction of a sea wall fronting Mrs. A. S. Hogg's property in North River street. The material used will be concrete and palmate logs, of which part of the logs are now on the ground. Several others owning river front property will have sea walls constructed.

MIAMI HOLDS CITY PRIMARY

The primary election held in Miami Tuesday to nominate city officers was undoubtedly one of the warmest city primary elections ever held in Florida, outside of Jacksonville, which holds the plumb for political squabbles.

A full list of city officers were to be nominated as provided in the new city charter. Great interest was felt in the primary all along the coast, so account of so many of the citizens of Miami being former residents of Brevard and St. Lucie counties.

The following is the ticket as nominated:

For Mayor—John Sewell.
For Alderman—Thomas F. Creathaway.

For Clerk—M. R. Kellogg.
For Attorney—A. B. Grinnell.
For Marshal—Floyd R. Harton.
For Tax Assessor—J. L. Johnson.
For Treasurer—Ben Tolton.

The council is composed of 14 aldermen, four of whom have been nominated as above. To select the remaining five the following will suffice: the second primary, C. H. Knapp, J. W. H. Kelly, F. W. Hart, J. G. Creathaway, V. Moore, J. S. Ferguson, and James E. W. Chaney (the A. M. Smith option). Of this number the one receiving the highest votes will be nominated.

The six candidates for comptroller, Mrs. Pitcairn Weeks, will also enter the second primary as in the first selected. For financial manager, Wm. S. Hall and Jas. T. Sanders (two brothers) Hall has been nominated. For the second primary, Mr. H. C. Edwards, by 25 votes in the second primary.

Influence of Red Hair.

"There never has been so important personage in history without a red hair of person, but notably conspicuous. If we may believe some writers, "Noudly" of the great ladies of antiquity of course, had red hair. History mentions that Mohammed was a red haired man. King David was ruddy. Louis XIV was a stout hairy man with many of the characteristic peculiarities of the type. The latter is called the red-haired Greek." Mary, queen of Scots, had red hair, and Prince Charles resembled her in coloring. Lucrezia Borgia looks in her portraits somewhat crimson. Queen Elizabeth was of decidedly red coloring which will suit both her admirers and her detractors."

To Erect a Sea Wall.

S. W. Jennings expects to complete his ferry boat by the first of next week after which he will begin the construction of a sea wall fronting Mrs. A. S. Hogg's property in North River street.

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See the woman.
Why is she so cross?
Oh, she's having a lot of dresses made.

See the other woman.
Why is she so cross?
Because she isn't having a lot of dresses made.

Women are queer creatures, are they not—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Clothing

Shoes

Furnishings

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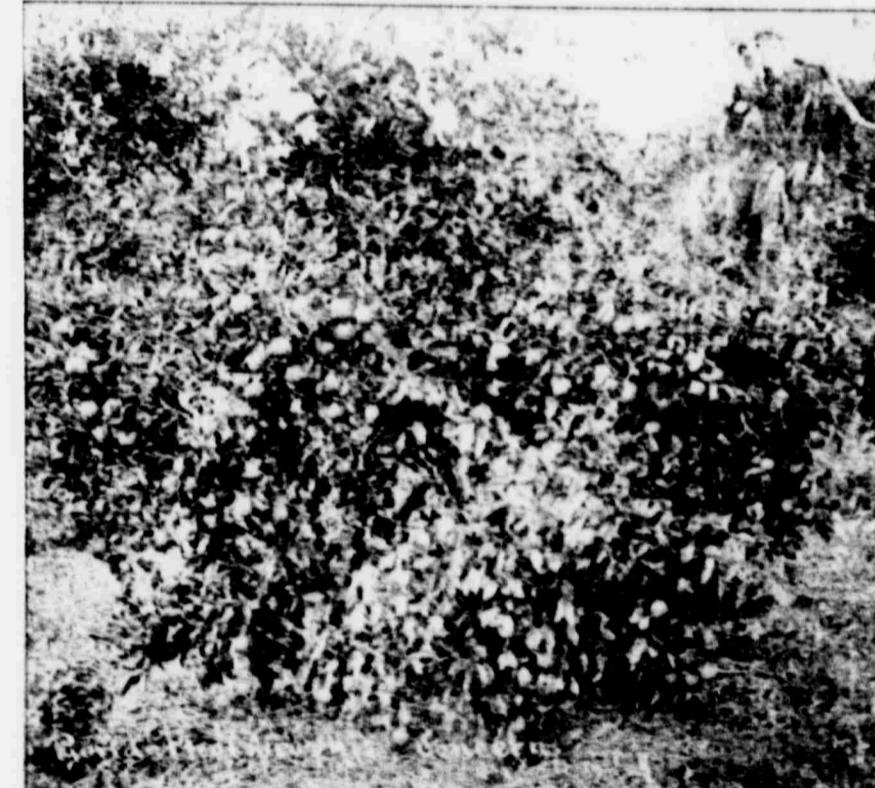
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